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In re application of:

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's Communication dated July 2, 1999, please amend the specification as indicated below. A Petition for a one-month extension of time is enclosed.

In the Specification:

Please delete the Sequence Listing at pages 57-64 and insert the accompanying Sequence Listing (pages 1-30) after the abstract.

Please renumber pages 66 through 72 as pages 57 through 63 respectively.

At page 13, line 6, after "cyclophillin" please insert -- (SEQ ID NOS: 14, 15, 16,

and 17)--.

At page 13, line 7, after "13." please insert -- (SEQ ID NOS: 18, 19, 20, and 21)--

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